

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
Huy D. Phan, et al) **Group Art Unit:** 3739
Serial No.: 10/660,820) **Confirmation No. :** 7044
Filed: September 12, 2003) **Examiner:** Vrettakos, Peter J.
For: ABLATION CATHETER WITH)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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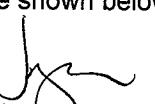
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated December 12, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted to the Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents on the date shown below via the USPTO EFS-Web filing system.

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